State of North Carolina Department of Environment, Health and Natural Resources Winston-Salem Regional Office

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<u>CERTIFIED MAIL NUMBER: P-536 317 009</u> RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

National Wholesale Co, Inc. 400 National Blvd. Lexington, NC 27292 Copy Sent

SUBJECT:

Underground Storage Tank (UST) Closure Assessment at National Wholesale CO., Inc., 400 National Blvd, Lexington, Davidson County, Incident Number Unassigned

Dear Sir or madam:

The Groundwater Section of the Winston-Salem Regional Office is now reviewing the UST closure assessment for the subject location. In order to determine whether or not the closure was performed in accordance with State and Federal regulations, the Groundwater Section must be provided with the following information 30 days from receipt of this letter:

- a USGS topographical quadrangle map OR County/City street map with the site location identified;
- the Chain-of-Custody associated with the previous samples and there results;
- unless the tank excavation extended to all areas of the dispenser locations, samples are needed under associated dispensers -- one sample beneath each coupling joint location (swing joint, flexible connector) and one additional sample for every ten feet of island;
- sample under all associated product lines with <u>no less</u> than one sample for lines 20 feet or shorter, and at least one sample for every 20 feet thereafter;
- the disposal manifest for the tank(s) OR the address of the person/company the tank(s) were transferred to, along with their letter of acceptance;
- the disposal manifest for sludge contents from all tanks;

- a completed GW/UST-2 "Site Investigation Report For Permanent Closure or Change-in-Service of U.S.T." Enclosed you will find a blank copy or the original on which incomplete areas have been highlighted;
- a sample protocol: collection method (i.e. shovel, auger, backhoe, etc.), how samples were preserved and transported and sample depths;
- a description of the decontamination method(s) used during sample collection (ie. soap/alcohol/distilled water rinse on tools, disposable gloves, etc.);
- the depth of tank burial(s) the depth should be measured from land surface to the top of tank(s); and,
- a base map (scale map) showing the orientation of the tanks, pumps, and product lines -- named roads, buildings, and underground utilities -- North arrow and identified sample locations.

Your cooperation is appreciated. Providing the requested information by the deadline specified in this letter will prevent a Notice of Violation being issued to you for the failure to provide an adequate closure report.

All soil sample analyses must be accompanied by a chain-of-custody and the sampling protocol. Please note that all subsurface investigative work is now required to be supervised by a Licensed Geologist or Professional Engineer, with all reports signed and sealed by that professional. Please refer to the file name, National Wholesale CO., Inc., on the cover letter of your reply. This will help us speed up the review. If you have any questions, please contact me at the letterhead address and/or telephone number.

Sincerely,

Thomas Moore

Hydrogeological Technician

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